

Substitute Specification – Clean Version

**OXIDIZABLE SPECIES AS AN INTERNAL REFERENCE FOR
BIOSENSORS AND METHODS OF USE**

Abstract

- 5 A biosensor (102) for determining the presence or amount of a substance in a sample and methods of use of the biosensor (102) are provided. The biosensor (102) for receiving a user sample to be analyzed includes a mixture for electrochemical reaction with an analyte. The mixture includes an enzyme, a mediator and an oxidizable species as an internal reference.